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Sir:

Enclosed is a utility patent application, as entitled above, by the identified applicants/inventors. Included is a specification of thirteen pages, five sheets of drawings, and a one page Declaration and Power of Attorney. Applicants claim Small Entity Status. Also enclosed are assignments by the applicants/inventors with associated cover sheet and assignee Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b). Further enclosed is a completed Form PTO 2038 in the amount of \$497.00 for payment of the filing fee (\$375.00), one independent claim in excess of three (\$42.00), and recordation of assignment by the two inventors (\$80.00).

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